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OWINGSVILLE, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 1898.

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Oliver gave to the world the chilled plow.

Easter Sunday was bright and pleasant until towards evening.

The Oliver still leads, others follow. Ramsey & Co.

Silas Corbin bought of Samuel Latham a yearling bull for \$37.50.

The talk about other chilled plows only advertises the Oliver.

The reported case of small-pox at Mt. Sterling proved to be chicken-pox.

The verdict of the people is "The Oliver is good enough for me."

I have a fine 4-year old, 16 1/2 hand, black Jack I wish to farm.

J. B. GOODPASTER.

All sizes of Vulcan Plow points, at J. A. RAMSEY & CO'S.

Pneumonia is remarkably prevalent among children throughout the county.

We have made you happy with the Oliver; now you need the Brown Double Shovel plow. Ramsey & Co.

The only real bargains to be found in Owingsville are at Mrs. Estill's.

John E. Fleming bought of G. W. McKinevan a 3-yr.-old bay horse for \$85.

You can rely on everything that you buy from Mrs. Estill being the latest style.

The "genuine Brown" is at the head of the Double Shovel Plow family. Try one.

Do not forget that Mrs. Estill will sell you the prettiest hat for less money than any one in town.

Why not plant your corn with a Drill? You can increase the yield 25 per cent. Ramsey & Co.

Have you seen those new Woolen Dress Goods at Mrs. Estill's? They are beautiful and the latest things out.

The "Front Rank" is now the most popular Corn Drill on the market. Ramsey & Co. have them.

All the new and desirable styles in Millinery at about 25 per cent. less than you can buy them elsewhere. Mrs. D. S. ESTILL.

T. S. Shroul is the only undertaker in the town doing business who has his Diploma for Embalming the Dead. Satisfaction guaranteed or no charge. 311f

H. A. Oursler resigned the office of Coroner Monday, and Judge Ramsey appointed W. D. Bailey, of South Sherburne precinct, to succeed him.

If you will stop in at Ramsey's you will find a large stock of 16, 18 and 20 foot hand-made cheek lines cheaper than ever sold in Owingsville.

Elder Geo. E. Boots will preach the funeral of Richard Collier at Fairview on the fourth Sunday in April.

Ramsey & Co. handle "Tiger" Harrows and Corn Drills, known as the best.

The I. N. Anderson tract of land, west of Wyoming, was purchased Monday by Will E. Estill at a cost of about \$2,160, including house and barns.

Brown Double Shovel plows and five-tooth Cultivators are the best. J. A. RAMSEY & CO.

Ladies, you can go to Mrs. Estill's and get a complete outfit from a kerchief to an elegant dress and hat. She keeps everything that ladies wear.

A lady relative in town of Mrs. W. B. Henry desires us to state that it was a mistake in the Stepstone items saying Mrs. Henry was operated on for a floating tumor. Her illness was of a different nature.

THE BEST.—The Oliver is the only plow made that has a point in one piece. When you put on a point you have the cutter; you don't have to put on a shin-piece to complete the cutter; thus leaving a crack to catch trash.

I will sell you goods cheaper than anyone and give you a niceingham or Calico dress for every \$5 cash purchase. Mrs. ESTILL.

Dr. G. W. Conner informs us that he has the promise of some mares from a distance to breed to J. S. Brown. To see the horse will insure your patronage.

We are now offering for cash Galvanized Barbed Wire at \$2.25; Galvanized Smooth Wire, No. 9, cash, \$1.80. Other sizes smooth wire in proportion for cash.

JOHN A. RAMSEY & CO.

RECENT WINTER'S DAMAORS.—The late frosts appear to have killed the fruit bloom that was entirely out, but that in the bud may survive and make a partial crop. On Sunday and the bright warm days since the bees have been swarming among the blooms, which is an indication that a part is all right yet.

A few days after the frosts the farmers thought their tobacco plants would survive all right, but it is noticed that many of them are now withered and a few are now withered and a few are now withered.

The young clover and oats were not particularly injured.

You can raise 25 per cent. more corn on every acre planted by using a "Front Rank" Corn Drill. Call at Ramsey & Co's and see them.

The late A. D. Ruff's friend E. H. P. Palmer, aged 38, died of pneumonia at Richmond last week. He was a native of Birmingham, England.

Ramsey & Co. have now on hand the largest, best selected and cheapest stock of Plow and Wagon Gear ever in this market and they are selling them.

TOBACCO SALES.—J. M. Richart's purchases; near Forge Mill, John Vice's at \$c.

Purchases of Cud Snedegar, of Wyoming; near Forge Mill, crop of R. J. Ferguson and John Vice at \$c; crop of James Lyons and John Vice at \$c.

T. S. Shroul has on hand a complete line of new Ruggies and Phaetons which he will trade you for an old one or for a horse or mule. Prices very low for new buggies for cash or trade. 311f

Elder T. S. Tinsley will preach at Wyoming next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m.; at White Oak Church the second Sunday in May at 3 o'clock p. m. He had seven calls for meetings Monday. He will hold a meeting at Farmers' next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

CORN MILL.—I have bought Clark Crouch's corn mill in town. Regular grinding days are Friday and Saturday. Meal exchanged for corn at any time my customers bring it. S. P. ATCHISON.

FINE HORSES SOLD.—Samuel Estill, of near Grange City, recently sold a gelding for \$125, and E. D. Anderson one of same for \$150, to J. B. Day, of Fleming Co. These fine horses were the progeny of Phillips & Anderson's horse Carlsile, No. 689, which is now at John Ragan's, Mt. Sterling, and will make the season there.

Buy a "Front Rank" Corn Drill, a Tiger Disc Harrow, an Acme Pulverizing Harrow, and you will raise more corn per acre than you have ever done in your life.

JOHN A. RAMSEY & CO.

Y. M. C. A. ADDRESSES.—Dr. J. A. Stucky, of Lexington, former President of the State Board of the Y. M. C. A. and at present a member of the State Executive Board, delivered an address to men only on Sunday at the Methodist Church on the subject "The Old Homestead."

At night his address was on the subject "The Old Kentucky Home," to a mixed audience. The illustrations and songs were said to be very appropriate to the subjects. The audiences were very much affected. Men and boys who never before displayed emotion on such occasions were much wrought up and tears flowed freely. Dr. Stucky made a deep impression and his admirers will hail his next visit with pleasure.

This is to certify that I worked the horse J. S. Brown a few weeks last season and in that short time he showed a 2:20 gait. Barring accidents he will beat a 2:20 gait this season.

March 29th, 1898. GEORGE W. BASCOM.

GUDGELL-MAURY WEDDING.—The marriage of Mr. Howard C. Gudgell and Miss Sudie Maury was to take place on Tuesday, April 12th, and as it would be too late to get a direct report of the ceremony for this week's issue of THE OUTLOOK we are compelled to confine our mention to the intended programme, as reported to us. The wedding was to be a quiet one, without any bridesmaids or groomsmen, the ceremony to be performed by Rev. M. M. Benton at the Advent Episcopal Church in Louisville. The bride and groom will return to Owingsville Saturday. No formal reception will be made.

The bride is the second youngest daughter of Dr. Joseph F. Maury, deceased. Her parents dying while she was a young child, she was reared by her cousin, Mrs. John T. Kimbrough. She is a young lady of much refinement and is well accomplished. Since her advent into society she has been one of the most popular young ladies in social circles and is admired and esteemed by all who know her.

Howard C. Gudgell is one of Owingsville's most popular young men. He is the youngest child of Reuben Gudgell, the prominent attorney, and has for some years been associated with his father in the large law practice of R. Gudgell & Son. Howard is a cheery-natured, big-hearted young man and one whose host of friends will delight to see prosper and climb the ladder to popularity and fame. The success of his suit in winning the heart and hand of his fair and charming bride pleases his friends beyond measure, and they hope a similar success may attend him through life. To him and his happy bride THE OUTLOOK tenders its felicitations and hopes life may be to them "one grand, sweet song."

A pure whisky agrees with any food, in fact aids digestion. It tones the stomach, increases the flow of the gastric juices and so promotes strength and flesh. A pure whisky like HARPER Whisky. Sold by

YOUNG & LANE, Owingsville, Ky.

J. W. Cook's DEATH.—J. W. Cook died at his home at Salt Lick Monday night, April 11th, at 8:45 o'clock. Mr. Cook had long been ill and suffered greatly; hence death came as a blessed relief.

The funeral occurred at 4 o'clock p. m. April 12th. Elder T. S. Tinsley conducted the services at the interment, which took place in the Owingsville Cemetery.

Deceased was born Dec. 23d, 1819. It is believed that he was a native of Bourbon county. He has carried on business for several years past along the line of the C. & O. railroad. He was a fine business man and accumulated a fair competency. He was twice married, and two sons survive of the first union. One son is now grown and is attending school in Missouri. The other son is younger. Mr. Cook was a few years ago married Miss Dora Gault, of this town, his second wife. She survives him. No children were born to them.

Mr. Cook stood high in the regard of each community in which he lived and was also well known and highly esteemed in this town. His devoted wife has the profound sympathy of all in her bereavement.

TOBACCO REPORT.—EXPRESSLY FOR THE OUTLOOK BY J. S. PHILIPS & CO., PLANTERS WAREHOUSE.—Louisville, April 9, 1898.—Receipts and sales this week show a decided falling off, and are smaller than they have been any week since January of this year. The market on Tuesday and Wednesday was dull and irregular; prices on the medium grades that sold from \$11 to \$14 were very unsatisfactory to sellers, and rejections were very liberal in these kinds. On Thursday and Friday the bidding was decidedly more animated; prices more satisfactory to sellers. All the indications point to a very light business for the remainder of this month, and we see no reason why prices should not go back to where they were the early part of March. The percentage of rejections this week was 31 per cent. This clearly indicates that holders are not willing to take present prices.

In Old Kentucky the offerings were small and largely confined to the common, faked smokers without color. These kinds showed a little more life than last week, but are still much below the prices that ruled for them during February. The coldest smokers selling below \$7.50 met with fair competition. The few bids of common to medium old that appeared in good condition sold fairly well. Very little good Old leaf offered, and the demand for it at prices above \$13 was limited.

WAR NOT FEN.—Olympia, Ky.—To THE PEOPLE OF BATH: I have gone through four years of war and know what it is. I am satisfied that the ones that are egging it on weren't in the battles of Shiloh, Lookout Mountain, Resaca, and others, as I was. I today stand firm with McKinley to keep it down as long as it is right, but say when it has to come Mack will be as willing as any man in Congress, although they appear so keen for it. When I rolled up my flag in the spring of Sixty-five little did I believe that I should see her unrolled again for the purpose of coming out on the battle-field. I am for peace with all nations under fair and honest compromises. But that is all. If our flag or our people are mistreated I stand by them. I stood by them in my young days. I stood by my country in need. Today I stand to the President of these United States and my flag; but, still, I am not as able as I was in '61. But if it has to come I am as willing. Boys, it is a heap easier to say this on paper than it is to face the mouth of a cannon. When I talk to an old soldier he prays that this thing can be settled with-out any bloodshed, as it takes the best blood and the best men on earth. What we may now expect, I claim, if it has to come and does come, it is we shall have the world to fight and we can prepare ourselves for the biggest thing that has ever been in history.

J. K. JACKSON.

COURT DAY.—Owing to Sunday's rain farmers were mostly at leisure and came to town in large numbers Monday. However, not much attention was given to the stock trade, and that business was inactive. Much discussion was given to the threatened war between the United States and Spain.

Only about 75 cattle were offered and they were not all sold, prices not being so strong as on recent Court days. A few sows and some shoats sold at low prices because of the prevalence of hog cholera in some localities. There was a big improvement in the prices of horses.

Some five or six stallions were on exhibition. Some were stylish and showed up well.

Nearly all the merchants were interviewed in regard to trade. In the majority of instances business was reported to have been fair. Some had a highly satisfactory trade, as they speak for themselves in the following:—

Eugene Minihan—"Biggest day I have had in a long time. All hands busy from early in the morning till late in the afternoon."

S. P. Atchison—"I have done well. Better than last Court day."

John A. Ramsey & Co.—"Had all we could do. All of us worked down."

Vic Bloomfield & Co.—"The best

day we have had in a long time." Joseph Bloomfield, manager, was counting his cash. It looked to the reporter more like a bank pile than the day's sales of a dry-goods store.

Mrs. D. S. Estill—"The biggest Court day I have ever had since I have been in business, and the beauty of it all is I got the cash for my goods."

PERSONAL.

Reuben Gudgell went to Carlisle Friday on law business.

Mrs. Robert Coyle is seriously sick at her home in town.

Joseph Salmon, of Ashland, is spending a few days here.

Major Geo. M. Hampton, of Moorefield, was in town Tuesday.

James Harvey Rice, of Helena, came Friday on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Blanche Miller and family moved to Olympia Tuesday to reside.

Misses Nellie Kimbrough and Ellen Gillon are visiting friends in Louisville.

Osmond F. Byron went to Stampington Ground, Scott Co., Friday, returning Monday.

Leslie Payne and Ed. Moxley, of Montgomery Co., visited James Ross Sunday night.

Misses Cora and Myrtle Stout and Rosa Phipps, accompanied by Will Stout, called at this office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Deitrich, of Robertson county, visited Mrs. D. S. Estill, Geo. A. Peed, Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. A. B. Boyd, of Paris, spent several days with his father-in-law, Squire Thomas J. Hendrix, last week.

Mrs. Mary F. Carter and daughter, Mrs. W. S. Reeves, of Mt. Sterling, are visiting Alfred Carter and family, east of town.

Neri Sweetnam's 16-months-old baby boy, of near Reynoldsville, was somewhat better Monday of an attack of pneumonia.

Wm. McClure, an esteemed citizen of the Springfield neighborhood, is down with pneumonia. It is hoped that nothing serious will result.

Ewing Conner and Bigo Wells returned Tuesday from North Carolina, where they had spent the winter selling mules and horses. They report a prosperous trip.

Misses Ethel and Daisy Hazelrigg, Wm. G. Ramsey, D. B. Brother, Glenn Perry and Clarence Power witnessed the Old Maids' Convention at Sharpshurg Friday night.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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WYOMING.

Olle Coons and Ford Patterson spent Sunday with Dr. William O. Phillips.

Thos. S. Shroul, of Owingsville, spent Sunday with the family of J. T. Atchison.

Johnnie Hawkins, of Hillsboro, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Sam Davis, this week.

Mrs. Dr. Feland, Miss Jennie and W. L. Feland, of Reynoldsville, visited the family of Jeff L. Atchison Sunday.

C. O. Phillips has returned from Cincinnati, where he is trying to acquire the title of M. D. He will be with us during the summer.

Misses Rosa Phipps, Cora and Myrtle Stout and Will Stout, of Montgomery county, visited Misses May and Eva Estill Saturday and Sunday.

A literary society was organized Saturday evening with Will E. Estill, Pres.; Dr. W. S. Reeves, Vice Pres.; J. D. Myers, Sec.; Omar Barker, Treas. Program for the next meeting, selected readings and debate:Resolved, That women shall be entitled to the right of suffrage.

OLYMPIA.

The steel was removed from the old mine track the past week.

Horton Young, one of our enterprising boys, has secured a position as clerk for Douglas Smith at Salt Lick.

Keep your eyes open over there, South Side! There is quite a number of things in this old world that you have not seen.

Mrs. Wincheste Dickerson, accompanied by her daughter Agnes and Miss Lillie Young, was in Mt. Sterling last week.

H. P. Adams, foreman of the Pendergast Lumber Co. here, turned his business over to William E. Houston and returned to his home in Ohio last week.

Bro. C. A. Bromley was accompanied by his brother appointment at Fairview Saturday by his wife, Presiding Elder Robertson and wife, G. W. Young, Mrs. M. T. Case.

G. C. Thomas returned last week from a visit to his home in Ohio. His daughter, Mrs. Phil Lodge, accompanied him here to reside with her husband, who is in the saw-mill business here.

Knob Lick.

Still we are having some bad weather.

Sunday was a fine day up to the middle of the day.

BE EARLY If You Would Pick Prizes.

The choicest patterns are always to be found at the opening of the season when stocks are unbroken. The showing for spring is now at its best. Our stock is complete, so now is the time to select

YOUR SPRING SUIT.

Come and see our unlimited variety. Come and see our matchless qualities. Come and see our faultless styles. Come and see our unequalled makes. Come and see our SUITS for

\$3.75, 4.98, 7.48, 9.50, 12.75

Bring your boys here when they need their spring and summer clothing. We make a specialty of children's clothing that's made to last. The price is just the same as you pay for clothing that does not last half as long. Some of our suit's prices are

75c, \$1.25, 1.50, 2.50 up to 4.00

We say that we give the public better

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, SHOES, &c.

for less money than any other house in the city of Owingsville.

Let us prove to you that what we say is true. Remember our business methods: WE PAY THE MONEY BACK IF PURCHASE IS NOT SATISFACTORY.

We will place on our bargain counter remnants of Dress Goods, Satin, Gingham, Calico, Cotton, Hamburg and Lace, which we sell you at half price. Be early and pick your choice.

FREE! FREE!

County Court Day we will give with every purchase of \$5 or more a 10-yd. Calico dress pattern.

"Blue Front" Cash Store,

VIC BLOOMFIELD & CO.,

GILLON'S OLD STAND,

OWINGSVILLE, KY.

Albion Shroul, of Prickly Ash, visited the Knobs Sunday.

The R. R. Iron Co. are shipping some 10 to 12 cars of ore daily; from 20 to 21 tons.

There was quite a crowd at the Knobs Sunday; several from Sharpshurg and vicinity.

Very few cattle for the market this week; less than I have ever noticed for an April Court.

There has been but very little farming done for several days. There have been a few potatoes planted.

The Democratic party promises to do something if it is only given a chance. Seems to me I have heard that somewhere before.

There is considerable sickness in this vicinity. Sam Snelling has two children very sick with pneumonia. Wm. Hunt has been poorly, but is some better. J. M. Collier and wife have a grippie.

The chicken thieves are getting in their work. Charley Warren lost 10 last week. There was some one at Turner Hunt's chicken house one night last week, but got no chickens, owing to the door being locked and the dog scared him away. He dropped a stub of a cigar at the door.

There seems to be a growing disposition on the part of some that where any one has more than he needs it is public property and must be appropriated to their own use and benefit. I believe in charity, but object to dispensing it in that way to a set of vampires who have no conception of an honest day's work and an honest motive.

JUST THE SAME.

You hate to be bought and you hate to be sold.

You hate to be forced to pay Shylock in gold.

You hate the hard times, but you are bound to die game.

You hate 'em, but you vote for 'em just the same.

You hate politicians that swagger and rant.

You hate a good deal of the old party cant.

You hate a large share of the ticket bound to die game.

You hate to be trampled in a financial way.

You hate to see great frauds going on day by day.

You curse in your soul the corruptions you blame.

You curse it but vote for it just the same.

You long for good laws and prosperous times.

And you want to see hoodlars sent up for their crimes.

PLOWS!
Farmers, you want THE BEST!
The VULCAN CHILLED;
The BRINLEY STEEL.
—AND—
HALL'S HILLSIDE PLOWS
are THE BEST. It don't cost you a cent to try them. I am the original LOW PRICE plow man. Have saved you dollars on Oliver Plow Points and can save you more. Come and see the only stock of home-made SADDLES, HARNESS, PLOW GEARING, WAGON BREECHING, CHECK LINES, BRIDLES, &c., in town! Our motto is "THE BEST GOODS, THE LOWEST PRICES."

EUGENE MINIHAN, OWINGSVILLE, KY.

S. P. ATCHISON,

Dealer in Drugs, Groceries, Fruits, Fine Candies, Stationery and Perfumes.

Also Agents for OLD BARTON WHISKIES and Fine Wines.

Call at Corner Drug Store and Get Prices.

Kentucky Crop Report.

Condition of Crops and Live Stock April 1, 1898.

For the April Crop Report replies were received from 168 correspondents, representing 105 counties.

WHEAT.

The wheat crop averages, for all sections of the State, 101, being an improvement of 10 points during the month of March. On April 1, 1897, the condition was 94. Considering the crop by the three subdivisions, western, central and southeastern, we find the highest average condition in the central section, 103. In the western section the condition is 102, while the few counties reporting from the southeastern section show an average of 98. On March 1 the condition by sections was: Western 98; central 97; no estimate being given for the southeastern.

Remarks of correspondents show practical universal satisfaction with the prospect, an occasional complaint of too much rain being the only exception.

OATS.

The estimated average of oats compared with the average of 1897 is 91 per cent. of the average of that year. It is largest in the western section, 96, and smallest in the central section, 84. In the southeastern section it is 92 per cent. of 1897 average.

Much of the crop was sown quite early and this is growing nicely. Rain has of late greatly interfered with the work of sowing and the crop will, on this account, be divided into two clearly defined parts, the very early and the very late.

TOBACCO.

Every indication points to a largely increased acreage of tobacco both in burley and dark districts. Plant beds show an excellent condition, especially in the western section (dark tobacco), there the condition, as compared with normal, is 108. In the central section (burley) the condition is 103, and the southeastern section (principally burley) the condition is 101.

SHEEP AND SPRING LAMBS.

The revival of the industry of sheep raising does not, so far, appear to be manifesting itself in an increased production of spring lambs; the number as compared with 1897 being but 92 per cent. of the production of that year. The central section leads with a production of 95 per cent., as compared with 1897. In the western section the number is 92 per cent.; while in the southeastern section the number is but 88 per cent.

The percentage of loss by dogs during the past year is 6 per cent. for the State. The western section suffered the greatest loss, 7 per cent. The central section lost 5 per cent., and the southeastern section 6 per cent.

PASTURES.

Pastures are in a very advanced stage for the season, and continuance of present conditions will enable farmers to put stock to graze three weeks in advance of the average date.

FRUIT PROSPECTS.

April finds the fruit prospect unusually bright. Apples, peaches, pears, cherries, grapes and strawberries all promise full crops at present, but danger lies thick in the path on account of the unusual advancement of the buds. In the western section the condition of the various fruits are: Apples, 98; peaches, 99; pears, 101; cherries, 99; grapes, 98, and strawberries, 93. In the central section the conditions are: Apples, 99; peaches, 96; and strawberries, 75. In the southeastern section the conditions are: Apples, 100; peaches, 102; pears, 100; cherries, 95; grapes, 93, and strawberries, 99.

LUCAS MOORE, Commissioner of Agriculture.

The British-Egyptian forces won a battle at Athara on the Upper Nile against Mahmoud Pasha's army of Dervishes, numbering 18,000. The Dervishes left 2,000 dead on the field, including many important officers. The shrapnel shells slaughtered them even in the rifle-pits and intrenchments until they were literally full of dead bodies. It is believed that 3,000 Dervishes were killed. The British force numbered 13,000. Their loss was comparatively slight. The Dervishes were poor workmen.

